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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

the Application of

Michael Wassenegger, et al. : Examiner: Georgia L. Helmer

Group Art Unit: 1638

Serial No. 09/782,874

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Docket No. 4476-P03504US01

For: NUCLEIC ACID MOLECULES

ENCODING POLYPEPTIDES : HAVING THE ENZYMATIC : ACTIVITY OF AN RNA- : DIRECTED RNA POLYMERASE :

(RdRP)

NOTICE OF APPEAL FROM THE PRIMARY EXAMINER TO THE BOARD OF APPEALS

Applicant hereby appeals to the Board of Appeals from the decision dated May 18, 2004 of the Primary Examiner finally rejecting claims 29-35, 37, 48, 64-70 and 72-74.

This application is on behalf of

[] other than a small entity

[X] small entity.

The Appeal Fee of \$170.00 is

[X] enclosed

[] not required (fee paid in prior appeal in this application.

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